Podophyllum peltatum

May-apple



Also called mandrake. Single, nodding, waxy white flowers beneath huge, deeply divided leaves. Fruit is large, yellow. A terrific plant, but plant it where you have room to let it spread, because it will.

Suggested companions: sensitive fern (Onoclea sensibilis), interrupted fern (Osmunda claytonia), .

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Plant Type: Wildflower Н

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1-1.5' Size:

Water Tolerant: No

Habitat:

Woodland Margin

Exposure:

filtered shade

Soil: Average Garden Soil

Rich Moist

Clay

Plant in:

May June

Bloom Time:

April

Flower Color:

White

Deer resistant Butterfly attracting

Other Attributes:

Edible fruit

Groundcover: Yes